



The Guild Players are part of Finchley Methodist Church but we also have many people connected with us from the surrounding community. New members are always welcome, whether you are interested in acting or backstage roles.

If you would like further details of the Guild Players, or would like to join, please contact our membership secretary, Betty Robertson, on 020 xxxx xxxx

Our next major production will be a pantomime, to be performed 10th -13th December 2003.

If you would like to receive details of our forthcoming productions, please phone the Box Office on 020 xxxx xxxx and ask to be added to the Guild Players mailing list.

For more information about us, visit the Guild Players website at www.guildplayers.org.uk

Recent Guild Players Productions

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| 1996 Rebecca | The Marry-Go-Round |
| 1997 Four Plays For Coarse Actors | Aladdin |
| 1998 A Murder Is Announced | Trelawny Of The Wells |
| 1999 Barefoot In The Park | Robinson Crusoe |
| 2000 Lord Arthur Savile's Crime | It Runs In The Family |
| 2001 The Importance Of Being Earnest | Cinderella |
| 2002 Absent Friends | Holmes Sweet Holmes |

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★ 214 Whitby Road | Opening times: ★

★ South Ruislip | 020 8429 0010 | Mon - Fri 9 till 5 ★

★ Middlesex HA4 9DY | Sat 9 till 2 ★



**Will
You
Take
This
Woman?**



a comedy by Maurice Callard

Finchley Methodist Church Hall
Ballards Lane, Finchley, London, N3

at 7:45 pm Thursday 10th
Friday 11th
Saturday 12th April 2003

PROGRAMME

Will You Take This Woman? by Maurice Callard

Herbert & Pauline Farson are keen that their eldest daughter Fiona should marry her new boyfriend Gerald Dunjon, but he seems to need some persuasion to pop the question. Six months ago she was due to wed Johnny Spinnet, but he failed to show up at the church.

Their youngest daughter Jenny, an enthusiastic but hopeless cook, has been talent spotted by Derek Colbert, the film producer. However, they are dubious about his motives.

In the chaotic Farson household things never go to plan. The Vicar is in a permanent state of confusion and Melinda thinks she has met Gerald's father before. Then an uninvited guest suddenly turns up out of the blue...

Production Team

Director	Judith Shrank
Set Design & Construction	David Constable Mike Sparks
Costumes	Jenny Sparks Irene Sparks
Lighting	Brian Clayfield
Stage Manager	Jill Brooksbank
Prompt	Betty Robertson
Front of House Manager	Bill Davey
Box Office	Betty Burgess Norman Burgess
Programme & Publicity	David Constable

As is our usual custom, the Guild Players do not charge for programmes. However there are some collecting boxes for 'The Friends of Finchley Memorial Hospital' in the foyer and we would be grateful if you would make a contribution to this good cause.

Your generosity at our last five productions has raised around £650 to support our local hospital. Thank you.

Cast in order of appearance

Herbert Farson	Stewart Shrank
Pauline Farson	Sally Martin
Jenny Farson	Jennifer Lewis
Fiona Farson	Vikki Harris
The Vicar	Laurie Heatherington
Gerald Dunjon	Nick Johnson
Derek Colbert	Ari Gnanamuttu
Aunt Melinda	Michelle Renée
Ivy Dunjon	Margaret Johnson
Ronald Dunjon	Paul Sparks
Johnny Spinnet	David Constable

Setting

The living room of the Farson's house in a south-coast town. It is early August in the late 1950s.

Act 1.

- Scene 1. Early one evening
- Scene 2. Later the same evening

Interval - Refreshments will be served in the foyer

Act 2.

- Scene 1. Some days later, mid morning
- Scene 2. Early afternoon, the same day
- Scene 3. A couple of hours later

For the benefit of the cast and ALL of the audience:

- Please SWITCH OFF all mobile phones whilst in the auditorium
- NO flash photography or video cameras may be used during the performance